

MOONLIGHT SCHOOL PRIZE DRINK HABIT GOES

Hart County Teacher Rewarded For Redeeming 75 Illiterates.

Frankfort, Ky., Jan. 22.—The state prize for the best moonlight school has been awarded to R. E. Jagers, a rural school teacher in Hart county. Mr. Jagers enrolled 228 students in his moonlight school, taught six weeks and redeemed 75 illiterates. He is to be honored with a trip to Washington City as a guest of Senator Beckham and Kentucky's congressmen. He will be presented to the president by Senator James, and will be the recipient of many honors. Mr. Jagers says that he has greatly enjoyed teaching the moonlight school and that it has improved his day school attendance and aroused his community to better things.

The teachers who stood highest in the contest with Mr. Jagers were: Grover Sizemore, of Leslie county; F. H. Spiceland, of Calloway county and Miss Nell Caldwell, of Hardin county.

This is the third year in succession the Western Kentucky has won the state prize for moonlight schools.

Capt. A. Sartoris.

Algernon Sartoris, grandson of Ulysses S. Grant has enlisted in the Foreign Legion and is now training at Lavellebonne.

Algernon Sartoris is the son of Nellie Grant Sartoris and nephew of General Frederick Dent Grant. He is forty-two years old. In the Spanish-American war Sartoris saw active service in the Philippines, and rose from lieutenant to captain. In 1908 he was appointed, chiefly through the good offices of Theodore Roosevelt, secretary to the American Legation in Guatemala. This post he relinquished after a year's service. He married, in 1904, Mlle. Germaine Cecil Noufflard, of Paris.

A Sentimental Judge.

San Francisco, Jan. 26.—"Kiss her," is the subject of a poem of two stanzas written by Judge Thomas F. Graham of the superior court and mailed by him to John Schuler, who is being sued for divorce and who asked the court how he could keep out of rows with his wife. The text conforms to the title and answered the question.

One Lump Alive.

Buried in a coal hopper filled with soft coal, Carl Harju was discovered alive at Houghton, Mich., when he was shot into the tender of an engine.

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Badly Burned By Acid.

Guthrie, Ky., Jan. 26.—B. G. Fuqua, of this place, received word that his son, Findlay Fuqua, employed in an acid plant at Burgettstown, Pa., had been badly burned by falling into a vat of sulphuric acid.

Make Less Beer.

In order to reduce the consumption of foodstuffs by breweries, the British food controller has ordered the restriction of beer manufacture to 70 per cent. of last year's output.

Improvement in Gas Lighting.

Coal gas illumination was evolved between 1792 and 1802, but it was not until about 1884 that it was brought to a high state of efficiency by the Welsbach mantle, and further developed by the inverted burner and the use of pressure gas.

New Field for Experts.

Naming the baby is an important matter, and, judging from the names some parents select, our personal opinion is that they would have done better to have left it to an expert.—Detroit Free Press.

Geese Fooled by Light.

Geese are fattened for market in Austria by confining them in a dark room to which light is admitted 10 or 15 times a day. Whenever the light is on the geese think it is meal time.

Indiana House passed the prohibition bill 70 to 28. Now goes to the Senate.

To Investigate Belgians.

Ambassador Gerard at Berlin has been instructed by the State Department to accept Germany's offer to permit an investigation of conditions prevailing among deported Belgians.

Heads the List.

Lieut. George Guynemer, the French aviator, brought down his 27th airplane Thursday.

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THE BEST MAN WINS

By SUSAN E. CLAGETT.

"You have heard of the place paved with good intentions. Pauline, dear. I am afraid many bricks are laid to my credit, for my intentions are always good but fail of accomplishment. I mean to write, but somehow never do. This time you must forgive me, for I am most unhappy. And my unhappiness came from out a clear sky. Since then I have sounded the depths. Father is obdurate. Mother sides with him.

"It is nothing but pig-headed obstinacy in father. Anyone looking at Howard would know he is a gentleman. He certainly is good to look at, and, of course, I think the sun rises and sets in him. But father will not listen when I tell him we are engaged. He merely says: 'When you care for a man, Jane, you can marry him as soon as he asks you, but so long as I live a make-believe one shall never have you.'

"July 10th—I thought my letter had reached you but have just found it in my portfolio. When I wrote a month ago I thought myself encompassed by misery, but my feelings were as nothing to what they have been the past few days.

"Father told me I must break off my engagement; that I should not see Howard again. I stormed. He merely said, 'Jane, put on your hat and take a drive with your mother and me.' That was all.

"I told myself I wouldn't. But I had never disobeyed father in my life and we started on that drive. It was a long one. It took us three days to reach this place; a little farm at the end of nowhere, thirty miles from the nearest railroad station! There is no post office, no telephone, no car!

"July 20th—Pauline, dear, it is a comfort to chat with you, even if my letter has to wait forever and forever to reach the office. I do get so hungry for home news. Mother has written once, but not a word from dad, which shows plainly that I am still in disgrace. Today Peter told me he might go to the station for mail. If he didn't, he thought Dan Isham would take my letters. Whoever is Dan Isham? I haven't seen a man, except Peter, since father left me here. I wonder if he is as old and wrinkled as Peter."

"July 21st—He came before I had finished my letter. Just an ordinary, farmer sort of person. He has nice eyes. I saw that, although he turned them away at once. I wonder what he thought of me?

"August 10th—I am seeing a good deal of Dan Isham. He lives on the next place, wherever that is.

"He isn't a bit like Howard, but he knows where to find the loveliest wood flowers, and this morning showed me the cutest little open-mouthed baby birds; mocking birds, he said they were.

August 24th—Dan came this morning and asked me to walk to King's Creek with him. I don't know what got into me, but I felt I must talk of Howard. I told of our engagement, and how determined father is that it shall be broken off, but that I was determined to marry him when I came of age.

"And when will that be? he asked. 'Your appearance this morning suggests nothing so much as that of a pretty spoiled child of twelve.'

"Spoiled child? I gasped. I could not control my voice, so I turned my back on him. As I did so I caught sight of something that turned me cold with fright. Coming toward us with lowered head was a great black bull. 'With a shuddering sob I caught hold of Dan and hid my face against his shoulder.

"Why, child? Then the low mutter of that awful animal made him turn suddenly. Will you believe me, Pauline, Dan Isham laughed, but he didn't let me go. He put his hand under my chin and made me look at him. What he saw in my eyes I do not know. What I saw in his made me again hide my face against that old, faded blue shirt. Even through my fear I was glad father had told Howard Chandler I should not marry him.

"I did not mind Dan's laughing, there was such comfort in feeling his arms about me, but for propriety's sake I tried to slip from them, when he said: 'Jane, that steer is one of Peter's ox team, and is as gentle as a lamb. Truly I am thankful he put in an appearance just now, for I have been wondering ever since you began talking of Chandler, how long I would have to wait before you found out you loved me instead. For you do love me. There is no question about my feeling for you. I surrendered the first time I saw you.'

"When we at last reached the house whom should we find but father, and he shook Dan's hand as if he had known him all his life. It seems Dan had studied law in the office and had been associated more or less with dad ever since. I don't know why I had never met him. It just happened so, I suppose.

"Of course, Dan didn't rest until he had told father about ourselves. When he finished, dad looked at me with a twinkle in his eyes that made me suspicious, but he said very solemnly: 'You can have her, Dan. You surely are a man after my own heart.'

"I wonder, Pauline. I wonder. Do you think dad could have had this in mind when he left me thirty miles from a post office?"

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Mrs. Ed L. Weston, of Rockaway Beach, N. Y., a daughter of Mrs. Elizabeth J. Connell, of this city, died this week and the body was brought here Thursday night for interment. Funeral services were held from the residence of her brother, George Connell. Mr. Connell is himself at Martinsville, Ind., undergoing treatment for rheumatism. Besides her husband, brother and mother, Mrs. Weston is survived by a sister, Mrs. H. A. Shanley, of New York. Interment was in Riverside Cemetery.

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Germany's Latest.

Galveston, Tex., Jan. 26.—"S. O. S." the wireless distress call of the sea which brings any vessel within reach to the aid of the stricken craft sending the appeal, is to be ignored hereafter, according to masters of British ships arriving here, who declare they have strict orders from the British admiralty not to respond. The order is a result of German submarines using the distress calls to trap merchantmen, the captains declare.

The Memorial in Gettysburg Church Undisturbed As Church Is Rebuilt.

Gettysburg, Pa., Jan. 26.—The old pew in which Abraham Lincoln worshipped on November 19, 1863, in the historic Presbyterian church here, stands undisturbed to-day, while all about it workmen are tearing out the interior to make way for new furniture and trappings. During the battle the church was used as a hospital. There are many bloodstains on the woodwork. These are to be removed. The church is 176 years old.

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For the second time since it began consideration of railroad legislation to supplement the Adamson law, the Senate Interstate Commerce Committee declined to approve a provision suggested by President Wilson to forbid a strike or lockout pending an investigation of a labor controversy.

Buried Alive.

Jesse Pomeroy, who has been in solitary confinement for forty-one years in the State prison at Charlestown, Mass., was last week granted equal privileges with other prisoners.

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GOLF CLUB MEMBERS.

The Golf Club is now well under way with the following officers: J. E. McPherson, President; T. B. Fairleigh, Vice President; Chas. F. McKee, Secretary and Treasurer.

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